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GETTING NORMAL AFTER HEAVY SLEET STORM.

Some called it a "glaze storm," in referring to the recent visitation of sleet in this section, but to the old-timer it didn't matter what the new term was, it was sleet and heavy sleet to him. But, as the old saying goes, "It's all over now."

Up to last night Paris and Bourbon county had recovered in large measure from the sleet storm which came last Wednesday night and remained over with us until Saturday. Most of the debris has been removed from the streets, the disrupted electric light service has been restored in the residence section, and the telephone and telegraph people are rapidly repairing the damage done to their lines. No estimate of the damage done to the telephone equipment in the city and county has yet been given out, but it will mount up into the thousands. Service over the lines of the Paris and Lexington interurban, which was put out of commission late Wednesday night, was resumed Sunday morning after a large force of workmen had worked faithfully all through Saturday and Sunday night, making repairs. The city has been in partial darkness, owing to the repairs being made to the street lighting system, but it is expected that this will be but a temporary inconvenience, to be patiently endured under the circumstances.

The losses to be taken into consideration are those of individuals, private companies, telephone companies, electric light and power lines, interurban lines, and the city and county property. The grip of the sleet storm was felt most perceptibly on the farms throughout the county, where work was brought to a standstill. Stock feeding was rendered very difficult, and farms not supplied with silos and feeding barns experienced a great deal of trouble. Rains and melting sleet caused the creeks and branches to almost reach the flood stage Friday, but no material damage was done, so far as can be learned.

The tobacco markets, which were compelled to close down during the period of the sleet visitation, because of the lack of electric light and power, were resumed yesterday. Although the receipts were light, owing to the bad condition of the roads throughout the county, due to broken limbs and fallen telephone poles disputing the right of way, there was plenty of tobacco on the floors for the sales.

Managers H. H. Floyd, of the Cumberland Telephone Co., and J. J. Veatch, of the Central Home Telephone Co., stated yesterday that they hoped to have their lines in normal working order again in the

BOY DISAPPEARED.

The authorities have been asked to keep a sharp lookout for Thomas Rice, aged seventeen, who disappeared Friday from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rice, of Old Pine Grove, in Clark county. Upon inquiry at the telephone office in Winchester it was learned that young Rice had accompanied a telephone crew out on the Lexington pike, and after a short time left them, stating that he was going to Paris or Lexington to look for a steady job. Inquiry made here failed to develop the boy's whereabouts. His parents and the authorities will continue the search.

LEXINGTON ARTIST TO PAINT JUDGES' PORTRAITS.

Mr. Sudduth Goff, one of the most successful of the Lexington portrait painters, has been commissioned by the Bourbon Fiscal Court to paint the portraits of former County Judges Charles A. McMillan and Denis Dundon, to be hung on the walls of the County Court room. It has been the custom of the Fiscal Court to have the portrait of each retiring County Judge painted for this purpose.

A room in the court house has been arranged as a studio for Mr. Goff, who has begun sittings for his subjects. The work is expected to be completed and turned over to the Fiscal Court in a short time.

early part of this week. Large gangs of linemen have been busy pairing the lines and erecting poles, and every effort is being made to restore the service. Long distance connections have been partly established with most of the large cities, and business will soon be at a normal stage again.

County road forces and individual efforts have in a large measure removed the obstructions on the county roads, which kept travel blockaded for several days.

James Soper, representing the Power Grocery Co., of Paris, was caught in Mt. Sterling, endeavoring to reach home for Sunday. He was in company with John Brown, representing the Woolfolk Coffee Co. Both were marooned in Owensville again, withing two miles of Sharpsburg, and were forced to play the pioneer act of cutting down trees, rolling telephone poles off the pike, dragging fences and other obstructions from off the main right-of-way to enable them to get to the next town. They were stranded in the middle of Picky Ash Creek, near Owensville, and had to be hauled out by a mule team. They spent the night at a farm house, getting into Mt. Sterling the next day. They reported the sleet storm as being the worst they had ever seen.

DEATHS.

TRENT.

—James M. Trent, aged seventy-seven, a well-known blacksmith, residing at Centerville, died Friday night at his home, following a stroke of paralysis sustained several days ago. Mr. Trent was a gallant Confederate soldier, and saw active service throughout the war between the States.

He is survived by his widow and four children, Mrs. W. J. Moore, of Montgomery county, John Trent, of Oklahoma; George Trent and Mrs. Lucy Logan, of West Virginia.

The funeral was held Sunday morning at eleven o'clock at the Centerville church. The burial followed on the family lot in the Jacksonville Cemetery.

BRADLEY.

—Mrs. Mary R. Bradley, aged sixty-four, died Sunday morning at 5:30 o'clock at the home of her son, N. H. Bradley, on Vine street, after a long illness of pernicious anaemia.

Mrs. Bradley is survived by three children, one son, Mr. N. H. Bradley, proprietor of the Paris Broom Factory, and two daughters, Misses Nevada and Mary Bradley; one sister, Mrs. A. Smithers, of Maysville, and one brother, Mr. William Blanton, of Brooksville, Indiana.

The body was taken to Maysville on the 7:45 Louisville & Nashville train this morning, for interment in the Maysville Cemetery, where services were conducted at the graveside.

WAGONER.

—Mrs. Rachel A. Wagoner, aged fifty-two, died at her home near Millersburg, Saturday night, after a short illness of pneumonia. She was the wife of Joseph Wagoner, who with four children, Claude and Cray Wagoner, Miss Flossie Wagoner and Mrs. Nannie Ham, the latter of Millersburg, survive her.

Funeral services will be held at the family home, near Millersburg, at one o'clock this (Tuesday) afternoon, with services conducted by Rev. E. K. Kidwell. The body will be taken to Millersburg for interment in the Millersburg Cemetery.

ISGRIG.

—Mrs. Ella Saunders Isgrig, aged seventy-eight, died at her home in East Paris yesterday morning at four o'clock, of cerebral hemorrhage. Mrs. Isgrig was the widow of Thos. Isgrig, who preceded her to the grave about thirty-three years ago.

She is survived by one son, Daniel Isgrig, who resided with her at the family home in East Paris. The funeral will be held at the home in East Paris at three o'clock this (Tuesday) afternoon, with services conducted by Rev. Arthur Fox, pastor of the Paris Baptist church. The body will be taken to Cincinnati, where it will be cremated.

MATRIMONIAL.

—County Clerk Pearce Paton issued a marriage license yesterday afternoon to Justice Johnson, a young farmer, and Miss Grace Lee Thompson, aged seventeen, both of Clark county. The bride-to-be presented the following document, signed by her mother, Mrs. Emma Thompson: "This is to certify that I give all the County Clerks in the United States permission to issue my daughter, Grace Lee Thompson, seventeen years old, license to marry Justice Johnson." The document was witnessed by Judicial Johnson.

REDWITZ-OWENS.

—Miss Ruby Redwitz, of Harrodsburg, and Mr. John Edmund Owens, of Roseboro, North Carolina, were married recently in the Baptist parsonage, in Fayetteville, N. C., the Rev. Dr. Jones officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Bettie Redwitz, of Harrodsburg, and is a graduate of the Bourbon College, in this city, where she is pleasantly remembered for her many graces of character. She is also a graduate of the Louisville Conservatory of Music. She taught music at the Millersburg Female College several terms and this year has been Director of Music at the Roseboro, N. C., High School. Mr. Owens is cashier of the Roseboro Bank. After a wedding trip to points of interest in Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Owens will be at home to their friends, in Roseboro.

JUST ARRIVED.

Fresh carload of Rapier's famous Feeds: Horse and Mule Feeds, Dairy Feeds; Pig Meal and Fat Maker.

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(27-11) S. Main St., Paris, Ky.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

At a special meeting of the City Council, called by Mayor E. B. January, bids for the construction work on the new South Main street sewer were opened. Three bids were submitted as follows: George M. Eady & Co., Louisville, \$44,022.50; Walker & Co., Hamilton, Ohio, \$32,965; Lampton Wood & Co., Louisville, \$27,211.25. The Council adjourned until to-night, when the bids will be considered, and the final award made.

MASSIE HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN EXTENDED THIS WEEK

The campaign for funds for the Massie Memorial Hospital, which was inaugurated in this city last week, and which has been the means of bringing in quite a nice little sum for the initial days of the campaign, has been extended to cover this week. On account of the inclement weather, the disruption of the telephone service, and other difficulties in the way of seeing the people, the list of subscribers is not as large as it would have been. But the committee intends to make a vigorous campaign this week, and hopes to see directly or indirectly every person in the city and county who would like to make a subscription to this fund.

All the solicitors are requested to meet at the Peoples Deposit Bank & Trust Co. to-morrow (Wednesday) night at 7:30 o'clock.

There were many subscription which were not handed in last week on account of the telephone wires being down, and telephones being out of commission. Many people were unable to get to Paris on account of the blockaded roads, due to the sleet. Other subscriptions will be announced later. The following is a partial list of the subscribers:

A. B. Hancock	500.00
Catesby Spears	500.00
Misses Spears	500.00
N. F. Brent	500.00
Sam Clay	300.00
J. W. Davis	300.00
T. H. Clay	200.00
James Caldwell	200.00
B. M. Renick	200.00
James L. Dodge	200.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bell	200.00
John T. Collins	200.00
Geo. W. Clay	100.00
Ed. Burke	100.00
W. G. McClintock	100.00
Peale Collier	100.00
Albert Hinton	100.00
Wm. Shire	100.00
W. O. Hinton	100.00
T. H. & W. G. Talbot	100.00
Marston Bros.	100.00
J. S. Wilson	100.00
M. J. Lavin	50.00
D. C. Parrish	50.00
E. H. Gorey	50.00
C. P. Cook	50.00
Mrs. Belle Alexander	50.00
Denis Dundon	50.00
Mitchell & Blakemore	50.00
J. J. Connelly	50.00
Jno. D. Hildreth	50.00
G. W. Wilder	50.00
F. P. Campbell	50.00
J. O. Marshall	25.00
E. B. January	25.00
Pearce Paton	25.00
Sam Harding	25.00
Tollie Young	25.00
Lowry & May	25.00
S. E. Bedford	25.00
E. F. Pritchard	25.00
John Sauer	25.00
Frank Collier	25.00
Hiram Roseberry	25.00
C. K. Thomas	25.00
Price & Co.	25.00
Lafe Ardery	25.00
Mrs. Offutt	25.00
N. Kreiner	25.00
S. K. Nichols	25.00
John F. Young	25.00
D. C. Parrish, Jr.	25.00
D. W. Peed	25.00
Charles Peddicord	25.00
Mrs. Ed. Burke	25.00
S. Kerslake & Son	10.00
J. W. Bacon	10.00
J. D. Booth	10.00
Lexington Herald	10.00
M. J. Murphy	10.00
Miss Catherine Murphy	10.00
John M. Clay	10.00
J. L. Denton	10.00
J. D. McClintock	5.00

At a recent meeting of the officials of the Deaconess Hospital, in Cincinnati, it was shown by the report of Superintendent Lohman, that the same conditions that obtain at the Massie Memorial Hospital, were present there. The report pointed out especially the increasing cost of maintenance of patients during the past four years. It was shown that in 1914, to keep a patient one day in 1914, but in the last year it had cost the Hospital \$3.47 for the same purpose, an increase of one cent over 100 per cent. Superintendent Lohman stated that they had fought against raising rates, but finally when the deficit in the operating account came near to the \$6,000 mark, they were compelled to raise the prices from fifteen to twenty per cent. Superintendent Lohman announced a gift of \$7,000 from the Gemble estate. Here is a chance for some generously-inclined Paris man or woman who desires to emulate this example.

READ OVER THIS NOTICE.

The \$20,000 we are asking for the keep of the Massie Memorial Hospital is not to be used for just the current year, but is a fund to bridge over future deficiencies, throughout the coming years, or until such a time as conditions may become normal.

KEEP THE GOOD WORK UP.

On account of the flu epidemic last year and the added expense incident to it, we were compelled to use up the small surplus of money on hand. We have got to keep this good work up and appeal to the people of Bourbon County to help The Massie Memorial Hospital. Bourbon county heretofore has been 100% in keeping up its very own institution. Subscribe for the Massie Memorial Hospital to-day.

TOBACCO MARKETS

The Bourbon Tobacco Warehouse Company sold on the floors of the Bourbon house yesterday a total of 248,250 pounds of tobacco for a money valuation of \$120,175.36, a floor average of \$48.40. Tobacco sold as high as \$1.06 a basket. Among the crops sold at this sale were several from Montgomery and Clark counties. Some of the crop averages follow:

Roy Byrd (Montgomery county), 5,200 pounds, average \$34.14.
Batterton & Sherrald, 2,125 pounds, average \$73.13.
Spears, Taylor & Fuller, 3,370 pounds, average \$71.55.
Bryd & Cooper (Montgomery county), 8,610 pounds, average \$74.84.
Clay & Hinkson, 3,260 pounds, average \$72.10.
Lewis & Ragland (Clark county), 3,610 pounds, average \$66.20.
Galtskill & Riggs, 2,944 pounds, average \$59.96.
C. C. Hadden, 3,500 pounds, average \$52.20.
Buckner & Hutshill, 7,870 pounds, average \$58.30.
Brodrick & Small, 2,650 pounds, average \$60.20.
Stoker & Wagoner, 1,725 pounds, average \$67.38.
Rash & Case, 7,635 pounds, average \$50.69.
Larue & Hutson, 2,510 pounds, average \$73.87.
Clay & Tobin, 5,200 pounds, average \$58.25.
J. D. Bentley, 1,380 pounds, average \$55.77.
Buckner & January, 3,920 pounds, average \$50.90.
Lisle & Griffith (Clark county), 5,075 pounds, average \$70.18.
Turner & Jackson, 2,725 pounds, average \$67.03.
R. L. Wilson, 3,735 pounds, average \$62.77.
Jones & Butler, 9,905 pounds, average \$50.40.
Marshall & Linville, 3,175 pounds, average \$72.40.
Heflin & R. C. Fugate, 1,630 pounds, average \$52.54.
Thomas & Cunningham, 3,545 pounds, average \$66.47.
Grimes & Johnson, 3,620 pounds, average \$58.93.

RACING COMMISSION ELECTED WILL SERVE.

Commission were sent out Saturday by Assistant Secretary of State E. Matt Karr to the newly appointed members of the State Racing Commission, all of whom, it is understood, will serve. They are J. N. Camden, Jr., Versailles; J. O. Keene and Robert C. McDowell, Lexington; R. W. Hunter, of Providence, and Ernest Pollard, of Somerset.

DID YOU KNOW YOU COULD NOT REPLACE YOUR HOME FOR TWICE WHAT IT COST YOU?

Your home built in 1914 cost to build and furnish \$8,000.00. The insurance on it was \$6,000.00. It is now worth \$15,260.00. Is the insurance on it still \$6,000.00.

Property values have increased—have you increased your insurance? Consult the Home Fire & Marine Insurance Company Agent in your town.

In five years building cost has increased 127 per cent, clothing 129 per cent. Consequently there has been a great increase in the values covered by the usual policy on "dwelling and contents." The same is true of near every kind of insurable property.

Late increase in values has more than covered depreciation. What was sufficient insurance five years ago may not be half enough now. To you the real value of your property is what it would cost you to replace it.

If you were burned out to-day, would your loss draft from the insurance company pay its rightful share of the present cost of replacing your property?

If you haven't enough insurance, permit us to consider with you what amount you should carry. While you have the matter in mind we would be pleased to have you phone or step in at our office.

Very truly yours,
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Remember: Insurance costs no more—and often less—to-day than it ever did. (1t)

SUBSCRIBE LIBERALLY

\$4.35 per day is the average cost for taking care of every patient admitted to the Massie Memorial Hospital. You can readily see how, with advancing costs of everything it will cost even more in 1920. Help make up the deficiency in 1920 by subscribing liberally.

PICTURE PROGRAM AT GRAND AND ALAMO

To-day, Tuesday, January 27—Madeline Travers, in "Lost Money," William Duncan, in "Smashing Barriers."

To-morrow, Wednesday, January 28—At The Alamo—Norma Talmadge, in "Her Only Way," Bray Photograph; Topics of the Day; Prizma Natural Color Films, "Skyland."

Thursday, January 29—Eugene O'Brien, in "The Broken Melody," Gregg's Orchestra plays afternoon and evening.

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